

a.) Amendment to the Claims

Claims 1-22 (Cancelled).

23. (Currently Amended) A method of treating an anxiety disorder selected from the group consisting of generalized anxiety disorder, obsessive-compulsive disorder, post-traumatic stress disorder, panic disorder, agoraphobia, specific phobia, and social phobia, comprising administering, to a human in need thereof, an effective amount of (E)-8-(3,4-dimethoxystyryl)-1,3-diethyl-7-methylxanthine or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

24. (Currently Amended) ~~The method of treating an anxiety disorder according to any one of claims 21 to 23~~ The method according to claim 23, wherein the anxiety disorder is generalized anxiety disorder.

25. (Withdrawn - Currently Amended) A method of treating an anxiety disorder selected from the group consisting of generalized anxiety disorder, obsessive-compulsive disorder, post-traumatic stress disorder, panic disorder, agoraphobia, specific phobia, and social phobia, comprising administering an effective amount of (E)-8-(3,4-dimethoxystyryl)-1,3-diethyl-7-methylxanthine ~~at least one xanthine derivative~~ or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof ~~according to any one of claims 21 to 23~~ in

combination with an anxiolytic which does not have adenosine A_{2A} receptor antagonist activity.

Claims 26-30 (Cancelled).

31. (Currently Amended) The method of ~~treating an anxiety disorder~~ according to claim 23 ~~any one of claims 21 to 23~~, wherein the anxiety disorder is panic disorder, agoraphobia, obsessive-compulsive disorder, social phobia, post-traumatic stress disorder or specific phobia.

Claims 32-68 (Cancelled).

69. (Withdrawn - Currently Amended) The method of ~~treating an anxiety disorder~~ according to claim 25, wherein the anxiety disorder is generalized anxiety disorder.

70. (Withdrawn - Currently Amended) The method of ~~treating an anxiety disorder~~ according to claim 25, wherein the anxiety disorder is panic disorder,

agoraphobia, obsessive-compulsive disorder, ~~social phobia~~, ~~post-traumatic stress disorder~~
or specific phobia.